## Master of Arts (Thesis only) - Philosophy

Year and Campus:	2016
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Overview:	The masters program gives students an opportunity to pursue an extensive independent research in philosophy. The thesis should demonstrate a critical application of specialist knowledge and make an independent contribution to existing scholarship in the area of research. Candidates may advance to the Doctor of Philosophy degree after successful completion of the masters or may apply to convert to the PhD at an earlier stage. An honours grade of at least H3 (65%) must be attained to qualify for the award of the masters degree.
Learning Outcomes:	Students who complete the Master of Arts (Thesis only) in this area of specialisation should: # undertake advanced study in a specialized branch of philosophy as determined by the student; # acquire research skills and an understanding of the methods required for advanced research in philosophy; # complete a major thesis, based on original research and revealing an awareness of current theoretical directions in their chosen field.
Structure & Available Subjects:	Duration: 1.5 years full-time / 3 years part-time The Master of Arts (Thesis only) in this area of specialisation requires: # thesis 30,000 words
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